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To amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to provide management standards and recycling requirements for spent lead-acid batteries.

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Mr. Torres introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Lead Battery Recy-
- 5 cling Incentives Act".
- 6 SEC. 2. FINDINGS.
- 7 The Congress finds the following:
- 8 (1) Consumption of lead in the United States
- 9 has declined since the early 1970s, when lead was
- widely used in paints and as a gasoline additive, but

- substantial amounts of lead continue to be used in a variety of products. The most important of these is lead-acid batteries, used primarily in motor vehicles. In 1987, batteries accounted for 78 percent of all the lead used in manufacturing in the United States.
 - (2) The lead in batteries can be easily recycled, but each year a substantial amount of lead is released to the environment when batteries are disposed of in landfills and municipal incinerators. According to the Environmental Protection Agency, 138,000 tons of lead were discarded in batteries in 1986 (65 percent of total lead discards). Lead discarded in batteries increased 64 percent between 1970 and 1986, and the Environmental Protection Agency projects a further increase of 31 percent by the year 2000.
 - (3) Since lead is an element that cannot be destroyed, its continued release in any amount leads to increased amounts of lead in the environment.
 - (4) An increase in environmental lead loadings is harmful to health and the environment. Because lead accumulates in body tissues, exposure to lead can result in a variety of health problems. Even low levels of exposure can lead to neurochemical

- 1 changes, altered behavior, or learning disabilities.
- 2 Higher levels of exposure can induce serious health
- 3 effects, including permanent damage to the central
- 4 nervous system. Effects on the brain and nervous
- 5 systems have been observed at blood lead levels once
- 6 considered safe.
- 7 (5) Children are especially susceptible to the 8 adverse consequences of lead in the environment.
- 9 Those with high blood levels are three times more
- likely to have a verbal IQ score below 80. The det-
- rimental impact on cognitive development will con-
- tinue into early adulthood.
- 13 (6) General population exposures and blood
- lead levels remain near recently identified medical
- effect levels. The Environmental Protection Agency's
- 16 Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee has rec-
- ommended that the maximum acceptable blood lead
- level for children be lowered from 25 mg/dl to 10-
- 19 15 mg/dl. Approximately three to four million young
- 20 children in the Nation's cities suffer blood lead levels
- 21 higher than 15 mg/dl.
- 22 (7) Exposures to lead are higher for popu-
- lations around certain lead smelting facilities, popu-
- lations in urban areas with heavily contaminated
- soils, and populations living in housing with lead-

- based paint or water delivery systems that contain
 lead. Chronic low-level exposure can be most damaging to these populations.
 - (8) Federal, State, and local programs to reduce emissions of lead have made significant progress but have not eliminated human and environmental exposure to lead. Air emissions from sources other than transportation have in fact remained relatively steady since 1983.
 - (9) Incineration of batteries in municipal solid waste contributed 32 percent of the 8,100 metric tons of lead emitted in the United States in 1987.
 - (MSW) was incinerated in 1990. But, since both the rate of incineration and the amount of waste generated is increasing, the Environmental Protection Agency projects that the amount of waste incinerated will grow by 50 percent between 1990 and the year 2000. The dramatic increase in incineration will greatly contribute to the amount of airborne lead emissions, unless measures are implemented to divert batteries from this type of improper disposal. Continued incineration of batteries will also increase the amount of lead disposed of in incinerator ash, which, when landfilled, may leach into ground water.

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- 2 **QUIREMENTS.**
- 3 (a) Management Standards for Spent Lead-
- 4 ACID BATTERIES.—(1) Subtitle C of the Solid Waste Dis-
- 5 posal Act is amended by adding at the end the following
- 6 new section:
- 7 "SEC. 3024. MANAGEMENT STANDARDS FOR SPENT LEAD-
- 8 ACID BATTERIES.
- 9 "(a) IN GENERAL.—(1) Not later than 18 months
- 10 after the date of the enactment of the Lead Battery Recy-
- 11 cling Incentives Act, the Administrator shall promulgate
- 12 regulations, in accordance with this section, for persons
- 13 who generate, transport, store, recycle, or dispose of spent
- 14 lead-acid batteries.
- 15 "(2) Such regulations shall include the recordkeeping
- 16 requirements described in subsections (b)(4) and (c)(3),
- 17 including a standard form that such persons may use for
- 18 carrying out applicable recordkeeping requirements.
- 19 "(3) In developing such regulations, the Adminis-
- 20 trator shall conduct an analysis of the economic impact
- 21 of the regulations on the recycling industry. The Adminis-
- 22 trator shall ensure that such regulations do not discourage
- 23 the recovery or recycling of spent lead-acid batteries, con-
- 24 sistent with the protection of human health and the envi-
- 25 ronment.
- 26 "(b) Generators.—

- "(1) IN GENERAL.—The Administrator shall 1 2 promulgate regulations establishing requirements for generators of spent lead-acid batteries as necessary 3 4 to protect human health and the environment. Such regulations shall cover the storage and transfer of 5 batteries, recordkeeping, and such other matters as 6 7 the Administrator considers appropriate, including protection against spillage and leakage of acid. In 8 promulgating such regulations, the Administrator 9 shall take into account the effect of such regulations 10 11 on environmentally acceptable types of lead-acid battery recycling and the effect of such regulations on 12 small quantity generators and generators which are 13 14 small businesses (as defined by the Administrator).
 - "(2) Storage.—The regulations shall require the following with respect to storage of spent leadacid batteries:
 - "(A) No spent lead-acid batteries may be stored on unprotected soil or in a manner which allows storm water to pass over them.
 - "(B) No spent lead-acid batteries may be stored for more than a certain period of time, as defined in the regulations.

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| 1 | "(3) Transfer.—The regulations shall require |
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| 2 | that a generator must transfer spent lead-acid bat- |
| 3 | teries to one of the following: |
| 4 | "(A) A spent lead-acid battery disposal fa- |
| 5 | cility with a permit under section 3005. |
| 6 | "(B) A secondary lead smelter. |
| 7 | "(C) A spent lead-acid battery recycling fa- |
| 8 | cility which recovers lead from spent lead-acid |
| 9 | batteries and which has a permit under section |
| 10 | 3005. |
| 11 | "(D) A battery transporter with a contract |
| 12 | to deliver the batteries to any facility described |
| 13 | in subparagraph (A), (B), or (C). |
| 14 | "(4) Recordkeeping.—The regulations shall |
| 15 | require that a generator of spent lead-acid batteries |
| 16 | shall keep a record, for a period of at least 3 years, |
| 17 | with respect to each transfer of batteries. The record |
| 18 | shall contain the following: |
| 19 | "(A) The date and quantity of batteries |
| 20 | transferred. |
| 21 | "(B) The destination of the batteries |
| 22 | transferred. |
| 23 | "(C) A certification from either the trans- |
| 24 | porter of the batteries, or from the recycling fa- |
| 25 | cility, disposal facility, or smelter to which the |

battery is being transferred, that such facility or smelter has a permit as required under this section or is exempt as provided under this section.

"(5) Retailer require that a person who sells, or offers for sale, lead-acid batteries shall accept from customers, if offered by customers, spent lead-acid batteries of the same type as the batteries sold and in a quantity approximately equal to the number of batteries sold. The spent lead-acid batteries shall be accepted at the place where lead-acid batteries are offered for sale.

"(c) Transporters.—

"(1) IN GENERAL.—The Administrator shall promulgate regulations establishing requirements for transporters of spent lead-acid batteries as necessary to protect human health and the environment. Such regulations shall cover recordkeeping and such other matters as the Administrator considers appropriate, including protection against spillage and leakage of acid.

"(2) IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.—The regulations shall require that each transporter acquire an identification number from the Environmental Pro-

| 1 | tection Agency or from a State enforcing this |
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| 2 | section. |
| 3 | "(3) Recordkeeping.—The regulations shall |
| 4 | require that a transporter of spent lead-acid bat- |
| 5 | teries shall keep a record, for a period of not less |
| 6 | than 3 years, with respect to each shipment of spent |
| 7 | lead-acid batteries, containing the following: |
| 8 | "(A) The date of receipt, origin, and quan- |
| 9 | tity of spent lead-acid batteries transported. |
| 10 | "(B) The destination of the batteries |
| 11 | transported. |
| 12 | "(C) A certification from the disposal facil- |
| 13 | ity or smelter to which the batteries are being |
| 14 | transported that such facility or smelter has a |
| 15 | permit as required under this section or is |
| 16 | exempt as provided under this section. |
| 17 | "(D) A certification from the disposal fa- |
| 18 | cility or smelter to which the batteries are being |
| 19 | transported that the facility or smelter actually |
| 20 | received the quantity of batteries described in |
| 21 | subparagraph (A). |
| 22 | "(d) Recyclers.— |
| 23 | "(1) In general.—The Administrator shall |
| 24 | promulgate regulations establishing requirements for |
| 25 | recyclers of spent lead-acid batteries as necessary to |

protect human health and the environment. Such regulations shall cover the matters described in this subsection and such other matters as the Administrator considers appropriate, including protection against spillage and leakage of acid. For purposes of administration and enforcement, the Administrator shall integrate the requirements of the regulations with, and shall avoid duplication with, provisions of any other laws that contain similar requirements.

"(2) MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS.—The regulations shall include requirements respecting the following:

"(A) Maintaining records of all spent leadacid batteries governed under provisions of this section and the manner in which such batteries were managed under this section. Such records at a minimum shall include, with respect to each shipment of spent lead-acid batteries, the date of receipt and quantity of batteries received, the name and address of the generator and transporter of such batteries, and the certification described in subparagraph (C) of subsection (c)(3).

"(B) Reporting, monitoring, and inspection.

| 1 | "(C) Recycling of all batteries received by |
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| 2 | the recycling facility in accordance with the re- |
| 3 | quirements established by the Administrator. |
| 4 | "(D) The control of air emissions from |
| 5 | secondary lead smelters as may be necessary. |
| 6 | "(E) Control of spillage and leakage of |
| 7 | acid from spent lead-acid batteries, including |
| 8 | control of run-on and run-off of stormwater |
| 9 | from battery storage areas. |
| 10 | "(F) Management practices for recycling |
| 11 | battery cases from spent lead-acid batteries. |
| 12 | "(G) Contingency plans for effective action |
| 13 | to minimize and remediate potential environ- |
| 14 | mental damage caused by a mishap at any recy- |
| 15 | cling facility. |
| 16 | "(H) Management of slag or any other sec- |
| 17 | ondary materials resulting from the secondary |
| 18 | lead smelting process as may be necessary. |
| 19 | "(I) Compliance with such requirements |
| 20 | for corrective action and financial responsibility |
| 21 | as may be necessary or desirable. |
| 22 | "(e) Retention of State Authority.—Nothing |
| 23 | in this section shall prohibit any State or political subdivi- |
| 24 | sion thereof from imposing any requirement regarding |

- 1 spent lead-acid batteries which is more stringent than any
- 2 requirement established by this section.
- 3 "(f) Spent Lead-Acid Battery Recycling Edu-
- 4 CATION.—(1) The Administrator shall implement edu-
- 5 cation activities and programs to inform the public and
- 6 small businesses about the environmental and safety haz-
- 7 ards associated with improper handling and disposal of
- 8 spent lead-acid batteries, including the benefits derived
- 9 from legitimate battery recycling. In carrying out his re-
- 10 sponsibilities under this subsection, the Administrator
- 11 shall consult and assist the heads of Federal departments
- 12 and agencies, appropriate State and local government
- 13 agencies, educational institutions, trade associations, and
- 14 other representatives of private sector organizations.
- 15 "(2) There is authorized to be appropriated to the
- 16 Administrator not more than \$150,000 for fiscal year
- 17 1994, and not more than \$175,000 for each of fiscal years
- 18 1995 and 1996 to carry out the purposes and require-
- 19 ments of this subsection.
- 20 "(g) Applicability.—This section applies to bat-
- 21 teries which are transported to or managed by either a
- 22 spent lead-acid battery recycling facility, a secondary lead
- 23 smelter, or any facility that prepares batteries for recy-
- 24 cling.
- 25 "(h) Definitions.—For purposes of this section:

| 1 | "(1) The term 'generator' means a commercial |
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| 2 | entity that collects, stores, accumulates, or otherwise |
| 3 | generates spent lead-acid batteries. The term does |
| 4 | not include an individual who removes a battery |
| 5 | from an automobile or light-duty truck owned or op- |
| 6 | erated by such individual and used only for personal |
| 7 | purposes. |

- 6 "(2) The terms 'lead-acid battery', 'secondary 9 lead smelter', and 'spent lead-acid battery recycling 10 facility' have the meanings given those terms by sec-11 tion 3025(e).".
- 12 (2) The table of contents for subtitle C (contained 13 in section 1001) is amended by adding at the end the 14 following:

"Sec. 3024. Management standards for spent lead-acid batteries.".

15 SEC. 4. SPENT LEAD-ACID BATTERY RECYCLING REQUIRE-

- 16 MENTS.
- 17 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subtitle C of the Solid Waste Dis-
- 18 posal Act is further amended by inserting after section
- 19 3024 the following new section:
- 20 "SEC. 3025. RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS FOR SPENT LEAD-
- 21 **ACID BATTERIES.**
- "(a) GENERAL REQUIREMENT.—(1) During the pe-
- 23 riod beginning not later than 24 months after the date
- 24 of the enactment of the Lead Battery Recycling Incentives
- 25 Act and ending 10 years after such date, a producer or

importer of lead-acid batteries each year shall recycle, using a method described in paragraph (2), an amount, by weight, of spent lead generated from lead-acid batteries 3 4 equal to at least that amount of lead determined by— 5 "(A) multiplying the amount, by weight, of lead in lead-acid batteries produced for domestic use or 6 7 consumption or imported that year by such person, by 8 "(B) the recycling percentage established by the 9 10 Administrator under subsection (b). "(2) A producer or importer of lead-acid batteries 11 may comply with this subsection— 12 "(A) by reclaiming lead from spent lead-acid 13 batteries and using such lead in the production of 14 15 new lead-acid batteries (in compliance with the recycling requirements of section 3021 and regulations 16 17 promulgated pursuant to such section); 18 "(B) by purchasing from secondary lead smelt-19 ers lead reclaimed from spent lead-acid batteries for 20 purposes of producing new lead-acid batteries or manufacturing lead shielding by introducing such re-21 22 claimed lead into new batteries or shielding; or

"(C) by purchasing recycling credits from an-

- 1 cling credit system established pursuant to sub-
- 2 section (c).
- 3 "(3) A producer or importer of new lead-acid bat-
- 4 teries shall submit to the Administrator, under regulations
- 5 promulgated by the Administrator, a report on the
- 6 amount, by weight, of virgin and secondary lead used in
- 7 new lead-acid batteries produced or imported in each cal-
- 8 endar year by such person. The report shall be submitted
- 9 at least once a year, but the Administrator also may re-
- 10 quire such interim reports under this paragraph as he con-
- 11 siders necessary. The Administrator shall promulgate a
- 12 methodology for determining the amount of lead for pur-
- 13 poses of complying with this subsection. Such methodology
- 14 may take into account the growth rate of production of
- 15 lead-acid batteries and the normal life span of such
- 16 batteries.
- 17 "(b) RECYCLING PERCENTAGE.—The Administrator
- 18 each year shall establish a recycling percentage for use
- 19 under subsection (a). The percentage applicable during
- 20 the first year that the requirement established by sub-
- 21 section (a) is in effect shall be a 80 percent. For each
- 22 of the 10 years thereafter, the recycling percentage shall
- 23 be an additional 2 percentage points higher than the per-
- 24 centage of the previous year. Such recycling percentage
- 25 shall go into effect automatically and shall be published

- 1 in the Federal Register. If the rate exceeds 95 percent,
- 2 the Administrator may waive or reduce the 2 percent in-
- 3 crease which would otherwise be required.
- 4 "(c) Credit System for Recycling Spent Lead-
- 5 ACID BATTERIES.—(1) Not later than 18 months after
- 6 the date of the enactment of the Lead Battery Recycling
- 7 Incentives Act, the Administrator shall promulgate regula-
- 8 tions to establish a system under which (A) a producer
- 9 of lead-acid batteries may create credits for any amount
- 10 of spent lead-acid batteries recycled that is greater than
- 11 the amount of such batteries required to be recycled by
- 12 the producer under subsection (a), and (B) producers or
- 13 importers of new lead-acid batteries may purchase such
- 14 recycling credits from such recyclers, for purposes of com-
- 15 plying with subsection (a). No person may create such
- 16 credits, and no producer or importer of new lead-acid bat-
- 17 teries may purchase such credits, except in accordance
- 18 with this subsection and the regulations promulgated
- 19 under this subsection. In developing the regulations, the
- 20 Administrator shall, to the maximum extent feasible, allow
- 21 for the use of records kept in the ordinary course of busi-
- 22 ness or other approaches that facilitate the simple, rapid
- 23 generation and exchange of credits without a case-by-case
- 24 approval.

- "(2) At a minimum, the regulations under paragraph 1 2 (1) shall include the following requirements:
- 3 "(A) The owner or operator of any spent leadacid battery recycling facility or secondary lead smelter shall keep receipts issued by any transport-5 ers who take delivery of the spent batteries. The re-6 7 ceipts shall be kept for at least 3 years and shall 8 contain such information as the Administrator deems appropriate. The owner or operator shall 9 show such receipts to the Administrator or to any 10 State enforcing this section upon demand.
 - "(B) Any person who transports spent lead-acid batteries to a secondary lead smelter, by truck or other means, shall obtain an identification number from the Administrator. Such transporters shall issue receipts (as described in subparagraph (A)) to the owners or operators of spent lead-acid battery recycling facilities or secondary lead smelters.
 - "(C) A producer of lead-acid batteries is the only person who may create a recycling credit for the recycling credit system.
 - "(D) The owner or operator of a secondary lead smelter shall certify to the Administrator that the lead being reclaimed for purposes of being sold to producers or importers of lead-acid batteries is the

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- product of spent lead-acid batteries or such other materials that the administrator shall determine by regulations.
 - "(E) Effective 2 years after the credit system goes into effect, the owner or operator of a secondary lead smelter shall certify to the Administrator that the smelter is in compliance with all applicable environmental and safety laws, including the Clean Air Act, the Clean Water Act, the Occupational Safety and Health Act, and this Act.
 - "(F) Effective 2 years after the credit system goes into effect, a producer of lead-acid batteries may purchase lead only from secondary lead smelters that have made the certification required under subparagraph (E).
 - "(G) Any lead proposed to be reclaimed by a secondary lead smelter for the purpose of being sold to a producer or importer of lead-acid batteries shall come from an owner or operator of spent lead-acid battery recycling facility or from a transporter with an identification number.
 - "(H) The records that a secondary lead smelter must keep are at least the following:
- 24 "(i) The delivery receipts given by trans-25 porters of batteries (as described in subpara-

- graph (A)). Such records shall be kept for at least 3 years.
 - "(ii) A record of the amount, by weight, of spent lead-acid batteries received for reclamation of lead.
 - "(iii) A record of the quantities of reclaimed lead sold or otherwise distributed in commerce and the destinations of reclaimed lead. Part of such record shall be a record of the quantities of reclaimed lead sold to producers or importers of new lead-acid batteries for the purpose of complying with subsection (a).
 - "(I) Each year a producer or importer of new lead-acid batteries shall keep records of the quantity of new lead-acid batteries produced or imported, the amount of lead reclaimed from spent lead-acid batteries to comply with subsection (a), the amount of reclaimed lead purchased to comply with subsection (a), the amount of recycling credits purchased (including the names of producers of lead-acid batteries from whom the credits were purchased and the dates of the purchases), the price paid for the credits, and the amount (if any) of recycling credits sold or carried over from previous years. The regulations shall allow for a 2-year carryover of credits.

- 1 "(3) The Administrator may include such other re-
- 2 quirements in the regulations under paragraph (1) with
- 3 respect to methods for auditing compliance with the sys-
- 4 tem, enforcement of the system, and qualifications for sec-
- 5 ondary lead smelters, importers, and producers as the Ad-
- 6 ministrator considers necessary or appropriate for admin-
- 7 istering the recycling credit system established under this
- 8 subsection.
- 9 "(d) Reports.—(1) Not later than 6 years after the
- 10 date of the enactment of the Lead Battery Recycling In-
- 11 centives Act, the Administrator shall submit to Congress
- 12 an interim report on the implementation of this section.
- 13 The report shall include, at a minimum—
- 14 "(A) a discussion of the effects of the require-
- ments of this section on the battery industry, the
- spent lead-acid battery recycling industry, and on
- the environment; and
- 18 "(B) an evaluation of the level of the recycling
- 19 percentage under subsection (b) and recommenda-
- 20 tions on whether, and at what rate, the percentage
- should be increased in future years above the per-
- centage applicable under subsection (b).
- "(2) Not later than 10 years after such date, the Ad-
- 24 ministrator shall submit to Congress a final report on the
- 25 implementation of this section. The report shall include

- 1 an updated version of the discussion and evaluation re-
- 2 quired in the interim report, as well as such other findings
- 3 and recommendations with respect to the implementation
- 4 of this section as the Administrator considers appropriate.
- 5 "(e) Definitions.—For purposes of this section:
- 6 "(1) The term 'producer' with respect to bat-7 teries means any person who manufactures new 8 lead-acid batteries for domestic use. Such production 9 does not include the smelting of spent lead-acid bat-10 teries.
 - "(2) The term 'importer' with respect to batteries means any person who imports a new leadacid battery either individually or as part of an automobile or other vehicle.
 - "(3) The term 'recycling credit' means a legal record of a recycling activity undertaken in accordance with subsection (c) that represents an amount, by weight, of lead recycled for purposes of complying with subsection (a).
 - "(4) The term 'secondary lead smelter' means a facility which produces metallic lead from various forms of lead scrap, including lead recovered from spent lead-acid batteries, and which may also produce plastic chips that are sent for reprocessing. The term includes a facility whose primary activity

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| 1 | is the production of virgin metallic lead from lead |
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| 2 | ore concentrate, but which also is engaged in the |
| 3 | production of metallic lead from lead scrap recovered |
| 4 | from spent lead-acid batteries. |
| 5 | "(5) The term 'recycling facility' or 'spent lead- |
| 6 | acid battery recycling facility' means a facility that |
| 7 | removes or recovers lead from batteries in order to |
| 8 | return such lead to a secondary lead smelter. |
| 9 | "(6) The term 'lead-acid battery' means any |
| 10 | battery that consists of lead and sulfuric acid, is |
| 11 | used as a power source, and has a capacity of 6 |
| 12 | volts or more. |
| 13 | "(7) The term 'generator of spent lead-acid bat- |
| 14 | tery' means a business or individual who receives or |
| 15 | accumulates spent lead-acid batteries, but does not |
| 16 | include businesses which expose the contents of the |
| 17 | battery. The term includes but is not limited to the |
| 18 | following: |
| 19 | "(A) Automobile dismantlers. |
| 20 | "(B) Scrap processors and recyclers. |
| 21 | "(C) Auto parts and battery retailers. |
| 22 | "(D) Auto parts and battery wholesalers. |
| 23 | "(E) Automobile dealerships and sales. |
| 24 | "(F) Battery distributors and other dis- |

tributors.

| 1 | "(G) Other businesses and individuals who |
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| 2 | accept spent lead/acid batteries. |
| 3 | "(f) Applicability.—This section applies to any |
| 4 | person who produces or imports more than 10,000 pounds |
| 5 | of new lead-acid batteries a year. |
| 6 | "(g) REGULATIONS.—The Administrator shall pro- |
| 7 | mulgate regulations to implement this section not later |
| 8 | than 18 months after the date of the enactment of the |
| 9 | Lead Battery Recycling Incentives Act. If the Adminis- |
| 10 | trator fails to promulgate such regulations by that date, |
| 11 | the recycling percentage under subsection (b) shall be 90 |
| 12 | percent beginning on the date of enactment and continu- |
| 13 | ing until such time as the regulations are promulgated.". |
| 14 | (b) TECHNICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents |
| 15 | for subtitle C (contained in section 1001) is further |
| 16 | amended by adding at the end the following: |
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"Sec. 3025. Recycling requirements for spent lead-acid batteries.".

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